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SUBJECT: SHCHARANSKY AND GINSBURG TRIALS:
DEMONSTRATION AT EMBASSY

1. GROUP ENTITLED WOMEN'S CAMPAIGN FOR SOVIET JEWRY ORGANIZED SMALL AND PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION OUTSIDE EMBASSY JULY 11 CONDEMNING SOVIET TREATMENT OF DISSIDENTS INCLUDING SHCHARANSKY TRIAL, AND CALLING ON U.S. TO POSTPONE SALT TALKS.

2. LETTER FROM GROUP TO AMBASSADOR BREWSTER REQUESTS USG TO CHANGE POLICY OF FOSTERING TRADE, SCIENTIFIC, AND CULTURAL EXCHANGES WITH THE SOVIET UNION. LETTER URGES PRESIDENT CARTER TO "STAND FIRM FOR THE PRINCIPLES OF DEMOCRACY AND DECENCY TOWARDS ALL HUMANITY" AND STATES USG VIEWS "MUST BE SEEN BY ALL FREE PEOPLES TO
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BE OF PRACTICAL VALUE TO MAINTAIN THEIR CREDIBILITY."

3. IN THIS CONNECTION, ORGANIZATION'S LEADERS EXPLAINED TO EMBOFF ON JULY 10 THAT IN ADDITION TO POSTPONEMENT OF SALT TALKS, U.S. SHOULD HALT GRAIN SALES AND OTHER COMMERCIAL TRANSACTIONS WITH SOVIETS, AND BOYCOTT 1980 OLYMPIC GAMES.

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